

## Commercial Hog Slaughter: Number of Head and Total Live Weight by Month, 1997-2003 1/

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	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003 2/
	----- 1,000 Pounds Live Weight -----						
January	189	112	146	117	146	83	
February	179	133	119	108	82	65	
March	209	172	142	101	105	134	
April	265	226	129	135	119	182	
May	254	208	137	167	92	138	
June	119	154	99	116	42	69	
July	151	94	66	75	51	42	
August	140	111	51	87	48	29	
September	184	142	106	87	79	58	
October	176	128	81	165	90	40	
November	166	171	65	113	62	27	
December	168	133	80	114	114	22	
Total 3/	2,200	1,785	1,220	1,386	1,032	890	

1/ Includes slaughter in federally inspected and in other slaughtering plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

2/ Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

3/ Numbers may not add due to rounding.

## Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head and Total Live Weight by Month, 1997-2003 1/

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003 2/
	----- Number -----						
January	100	100	100			100	
February							
March	100	100	100		100	100	
April	200	100	100	100	100	100	
May	100	100	100	100	100	100	
June	100	100	100	100			
July		100					
August	100	100			100		
September	100	100	100		100	100	
October	100	100	100	100	100	100	
November	100	100		100	100	100	
December	100	100	100			100	
Total 3/	1,000	1,000	900	600	800	900	
	----- 1,000 Pounds Live Weight -----						
January	10	5	7			7	
February							
March	11	11	14		11	17	
April	18	17	16	7	13	11	
May	12	13	9	10	11	10	
June	4	5	7	6			
July		7					
August	7	7			3		
September	13	9	16		12	10	
October	6	12	5	11	13	12	
November	8	3		6	5	10	
December	6	7	6			6	
Total 3/	104	99	94	66	85	96	

1/ Includes slaughter in federally inspected and in other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

2/ Months with no data printed are still included in total, but not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

3/ Numbers may not add due to rounding.